

Old City Jail,
Arrow Rock,
Missouri.

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Thomas Wight, District Officer
400 First National Bank Bldg., Kansas City, Mo.

OLD
CITY JAIL

Arrow Rock, Missouri

Physical Data

Present Owner: Arrow Rock State Park.

Present Occupant and Use: None.

Description (Present Condition)

Wall construction: Stone

Size and form: Approximately 10'x15'.

Number stories: One.

Roofing: Tin

Chimneys: Smokestack of sheet metal.

Interior

Floors: Wood

Doors: Wood and iron.

Historical Data

Year of Erection: 1871

Original use: Jail.

Notable Occupants: One of the town's derelicts "who made so much noise that they had to let him out".

Source of information: A Guide to the Boone's Lick Country by Charles van Ravenswaay (mimeo., 1941).

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